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**Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

Claims 1-3 (canceled)

**Claim 4 (new):** A non-shadow instrument holder comprising a light source to illuminate the tip of instrument; and a handheld grip to accept a variety of instruments.

**Claim 5 (new):** The non-shadow instrument holder of claim 4 wherein the light source, with an on and off switch, is at the superior portion of the grip and directed on the tip of the instrument providing a non-shadow illumination to the working area without obstruction of said illumination by the instrument.

**Claim 6 (new):** The non-shadow instrument holder of claim 4 wherein the grip has a multi-position docking system to receive and securely hold the instrument at a variable angle to illumination source.

**Claim 7 (new):** The non-shadow instrument holder of claim 6 wherein the multi-position docking system provides a 15-60 degree positioning, of a wide range of instruments, to the longitudinal axis of the illumination source.

**Claim 8 (new):** The non-shadow instrument holder of claim 4 wherein the grip is designed to ergonomically rest in the users hand.

**Claim 9 (new):** The non-shadow instrument holder of claim 4 wherein the grip is designed for use with either right or left hand.